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ANTIKVA VALASO, LATVERIA.

ONCE THIS MARKETPLACE WAS DIFFERENT... A GATHERING OF COMMUNITY AND PROSPERITY IN A FAIRY TALE KINGDOM.

NOW CITIZENS OVER-EXTEND THEIR CREDIT FOR SPOILED SYNTH-FOODS, DESIGNER DRUGS, AND PARATED RUSSO-V.R.

HERE THE BLACK MARKET IS THE ONLY MARKET.

THREE THOUSAND. NO MORE.

WHAT? WE AGREED ON FIVE, GASKARD!

NO ONE BUT ME COULD FREESTYLE INTO TIGER WYLDE'S SECURITY NET FOR THESE ACCESS CODES...

IF YOU WON'T PAY MARKET VALUE, YOU CAN WATCH ME AND THIS DATA FARE.

LISTEN, YOU INPUT-ADDLED GUPSY, THAT INFORMATION IS USELESS TO YOU!

YOU'LL TAKE THREE AND LIKE IT!

HEY!!

PAY ATTENTION, JUNKMAN-- NOBODY HURTS WIRE. NOBODY.

L-LOSE THE SHIV, KANDRA, EVERYTHING'S ON LINE. I WASN'T GONNA HURT--

ATTENTION, SERGEI GASKARD, YOU ARE UNDER ARREST FOR ILLEGAL TRANSFER AND SALE OF GOVERNMENT INFORMATION.

NO... NO...

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GUARDSMEN!!!

DO NOT MOVE.  
RESISTANCE WILL BE  
MET WITH FULL  
PRE-EMPTIVE FORCE.

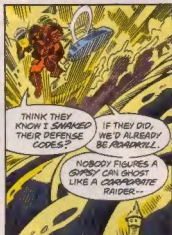


LET'S FADE,  
WIRE! FAST!



WE SHOULD  
GRAB  
HIS CASE!

FORGET IT!  
WE'RE NEXT IF WE  
DON'T PICK UP  
SPEED.



THINK THEY  
KNOW I SNAKED  
THEIR DEFENSE  
CODES?

IF THEY DID,  
WE'D ALREADY  
BE ROADKILL.

NOBODY FIGURES A  
GURSY CAN GHOST  
LIKE A CORPUSCULE  
RAIDER--



WE'RE JUST  
LOOSE ENDS TO  
THEM, HUH?

I'M GOING TO TRY TO LOSE  
THAT CROWD SWEEPER IN  
THE CASTLE RUINS--

-- BEFORE WE  
BECOME  
DEAD-ENDS.

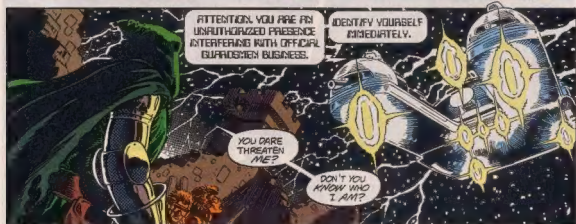
I KNEW I SHOULD'VE  
CHARGED THE BATTERY  
THIS MORNING.



THEY'RE  
GAINING--

I KNOW--

WHAT'S WITH  
THE SUDDEN  
LIGHT SHOW..?





Stan Lee presents

# MUSES OF FIRE!

I AM DOOM!

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WHOEVER  
THAT GUY IS--

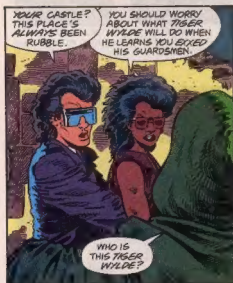
--I HOPE HE  
KNOWS WE WEREN'T  
WITH THOSE  
GUARDSMEN.

BATTERY'S  
NOT RECHARGING  
FAST ENOUGH--

--IF HE DOES  
TO US WHAT HE  
DID TO THEM--

CALM YOURSELVES.  
I DO NOT BATTLE  
CHILDREN. I WANT ONLY  
WORDS WITH YOU.

MY CASTLE NO LONGER  
STANDS. HOW DID THIS  
OCCUR?



YOUR CASTLE?  
THIS PLACE'S  
ALWAYS BEEN  
RUBBLE.

YOU SHOULD WORRY  
ABOUT WHAT **TIGER**  
**WYLDE** WILL DO WHEN  
HE LEARNS YOU **SEXED**  
HIS GUARDSMEN.

WHO IS  
THIS **TIGER**  
**WYLDE**?



WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?  
**TIGER WYLDE'S** RUN **LATVERIA**  
FOR YEARS.

AND WHAT  
YEAR IS THIS?

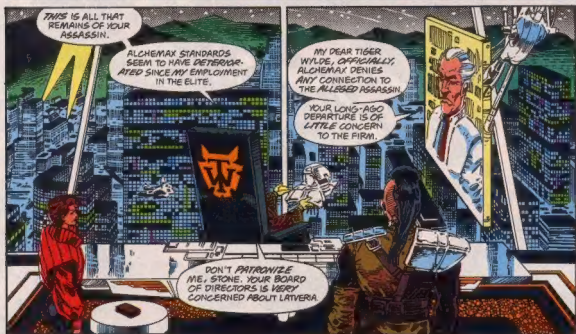


TWENTY  
NINETY NINE.

HAMMM...  
MUCH LATER  
THAN I EXPECTED.

CAN IT BE I HAVE  
BEEN FORGOTTEN  
IN MY OWN LAND?

IT IS TIME  
TO MAKE **LATVERIA**  
REMEMBER.









DOOM RULED LATVERIA IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY. HE VANISHED BEFORE I WAS BORN.

IF YOU ARE TRULY DOCTOR DOOM--

--YOU HAVE A VERY LONG ABSENCE TO EXPLAIN.



MEMORIES OF PAIN--

--UNENDING AND UNYIELDING--

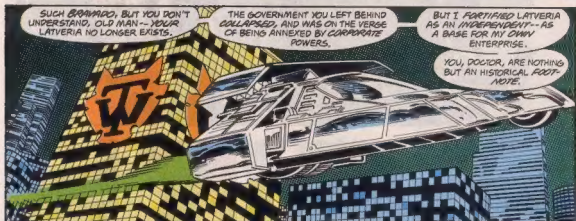
--ONLY REMEMBER THE PAIN--



WHERE I HAVE BEEN IS NOT AT ISSUE.

YOU MAY LEAVE LATVERIA WITH NO FEAR OF REPRISAL--

--BUT LATVERIA IS MINE.



SUCH BRAVADO, BUT YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND, OLD MAN-- YOUR LATVERIA NO LONGER EXISTS.

THE GOVERNMENT YOU LEFT BEHIND COLLAPSED, AND WAS ON THE VERGE OF BEING ANNEXED BY CORPORATE POWERS.

BUT I FORTIFIED LATVERIA AS AN INDEPENDENT-- AS A BASE FOR MY OWN ENTERPRISE.

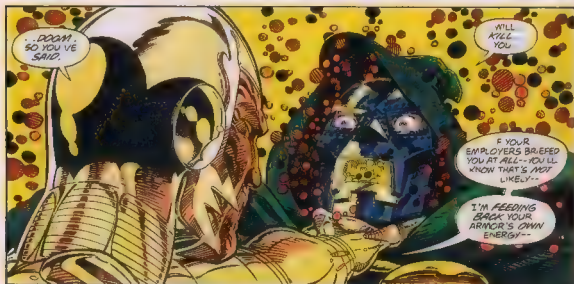
YOU, DOCTOR, ARE NOTHING BUT AN HISTORICAL FOOT-NOTE.

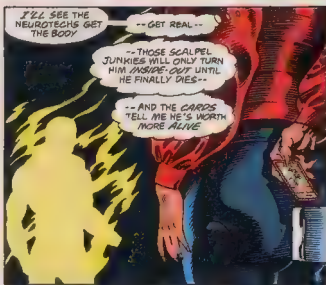
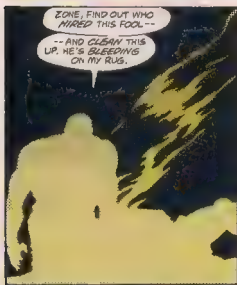
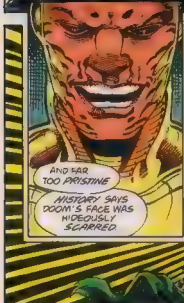


PERHAPS A HISTORY LESSON IS IN ORDER.

UHH!













YOU'RE UP. GOOD. YOUR INJURIES WERE SEVERE

I REMEMBER YOU, WOMAN YOU STOOD WITH TIGER WYLDE

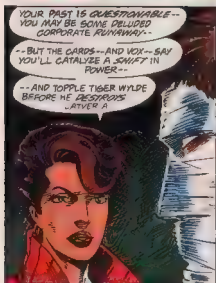


READING THE TAROT FOR HIM PROTECTS MY PEOPLE

THE NAME'S FORTUNE-- THIS IS VOX-- OUR TRIBE'S ADEPT

YOU'D BE DEAD IF NOT FOR HIS HEALING MAGICS

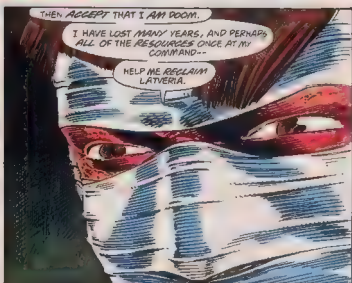
I HAVE BEEN CLOSE TO DEATH MANY TIMES IN THE PAST.



YOUR PAST IS QUESTIONABLE-- YOU MAY BE SOME DELUDED CORPORATE RUNAWAY--

--BUT THE CARDS--AND VOX-- SAY YOU'LL CATALYZE A SHIFT IN POWER--

--AND TOPPLE TIGER WYLDE BEFORE HE DESTROYS LATVERIA



THEN ACCEPT THAT I AM DOOM.

I HAVE LOST MANY YEARS, AND PERHAPS ALL OF THE RESOURCES ONCE AT MY COMMAND--

HELP ME RECLAIM LATVERIA.



AS LEADER OF THE ZEFIRO CLAN, I OFFER YOU MY TRIBE'S SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE.

YOU ARE ZEFIRO?

I GUESS UP HEARING STORIES OF LATVERIA'S ZEFIRO-BODY MONARCH.

THIS HAS BEEN PASSED FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION...



I GAVE THIS TO SEAN. THE ONE MAN I CALLED FRIEND.



GYPSY BLOOD BONDS US, FORTUNE



YOU REMEMBER NOTHING ABOUT YOUR DISAPPEARANCE?

ONLY PAIN BEYOND DESCRIPTION

FOR THE MOMENT, I CANNOT BE CONCERNED ABOUT MY MEMORY LOSS--

-- I HAVE TOO MUCH TO LEARN ABOUT THIS NEW WORLD.



THIS IS WHAT WE CALL A CYBER SAVANT--

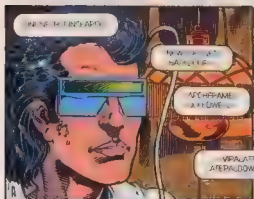
"THE BOY FROM THE RUMS. HOW CAN WE HELP ME?"

-- IF YOU NEED INFORMATION--WIRE CAN ACCESS ANY WORLD DATABASE--

FORTUNE SAID HE'D BE THE SPACE YOU'RE SCOPING RAZOREDGE TECH--

--AFTER SCAVENGING THE OBSOLETE CIRCUITRY IN THIS TIN CAN--

--STRAIGHT UP, YOU NEED MY HELP--

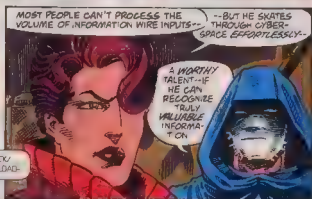


WIRE'S HERE--

WIRE'S HERE

ARCH-PAKE X-FILE--

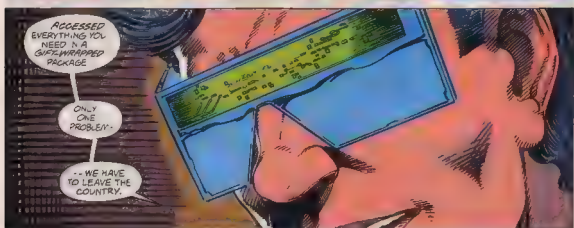
VEDALATACK AFTER A DOWNLOAD--



MOST PEOPLE CAN'T PROCESS THE VOLUME OF INFORMATION WIRE INPUTS--

--BUT HE SKATES THROUGH CYBER-SPACE EFFORTLESSLY--

A WORTHY TALENT--IF HE CAN RECOGNIZE TRULY VALUABLE INFORMATION



ACCESSED EVERYTHING YOU NEED IN A GIFT-WRAPPED PACKAGE

ONLY ONE PROBLEM--

-- WE HAVE TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY.

THE MALHELA MOUNTAINS  
BORDER MOST OF SOUTHERN  
LATVERIA.

THEY HAVE HELPED KEEP  
THE REST OF THE WORLD  
FROM LATVERIA--

--AND LATVERIA FROM  
THE REST OF THE WORLD.

THAT'S  
CRAZY!

WHY SHOULD WE TRUST  
SOMEONE WHO BELIEVES  
HE RULED LATVERIA A  
HUNDRED YEARS AGO?

IF YOU WISH TO  
TURN BACK, GIRL,  
GO.

STAND WITH  
ME OR NOT AT  
ALL.

I'M  
WITH  
YOU--

--BUT ONLY  
SO YOU DON'T  
GET WIRE  
KILLED.

THE AMULET,  
FORTUNE

EASY ON KANDRA SHE MAY BE  
YOUNG, BUT SHE'S OUR BEST  
FIGHTER

CIRCUMSTANCES  
HAVE MADE US  
ALLIES NOT  
FRIENDS

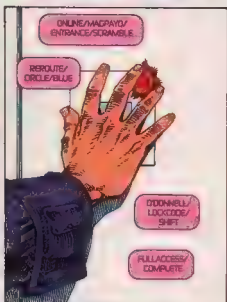
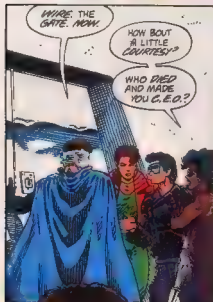
I WILL NOT  
COWDLE AN  
ADOLESCENT'S  
HURT  
FEELINGS

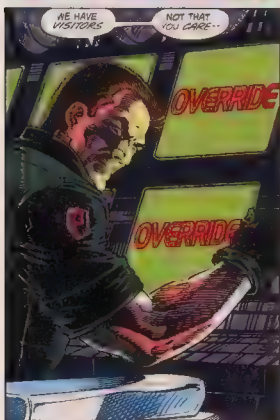
WHEN YOUR GREAT-GREAT  
GRANDFATHER WAS  
ALIVE, FORTUNE--

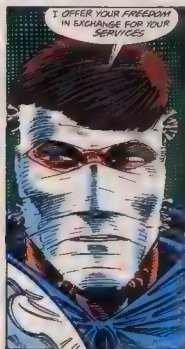
--I GAVE HIM THIS  
AS A MEANS TO LEAVE  
THE COUNTRY SHOULD  
I FALL FROM POWER--

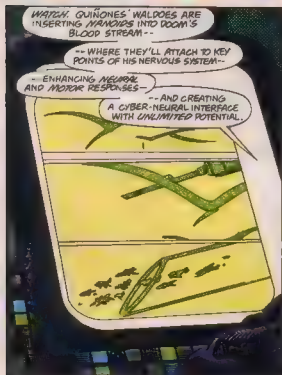
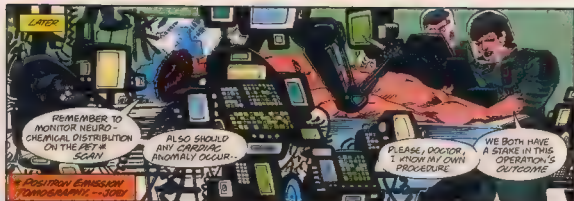
--ONE MUST PLAN  
FOR EVERY  
EVENTUALITY.













YOU ARE  
NOT DOOM

I AM  
DOOM

DOOM'S DESTINY  
WAS TO RULE!

THAT DESTINY  
IS MINE.

DOOM NEEDED NO-ONE.  
YOU NOBBLE YOURSELF  
WITH WOMEN AND  
CHILDREN.

THEY ARE ZEPHRO.  
GYPSIES LIKE MY  
PARENTS--

YOU HAVE NO PARENTS.  
YOU HAVE NOTHING.  
NOT EVEN YOUR MEMORY.

BUT I REMEMBER-- MY  
FATHER'S DEATH-- THE  
EXPLOSION-- THE TIBETAN  
MONASTERY-- CONQUER-  
ING LATVERIA--

YOU REMEMBER  
ACTION--

-- RICHARDS AND  
HIS FAMILY-- AGAIN  
AND AGAIN--

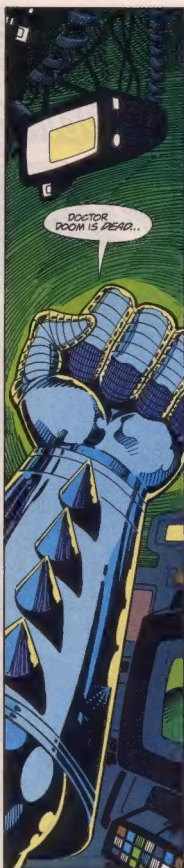
FEVER  
DREAMS

DEAD

I AM DOOM

IS DEAD

DOOM IS DEAD





**LONG  
LIVE  
DOOM!**

O! For a Muse of fire, that would ascend  
The brightest heaven of invention;  
A kingdom for a stage, princes to act  
And monarchs to behold the swelling scene.

— Shakespeare, *Henry V*

**TO BE CONTINUED**

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GLADLY WITHHOLD THAT INFO  
UPON REQUEST.

## OUT OF MY HEAD

Who's in charge here?

If the world is really being run by a handful of greedy old men at the top, why can't they at least do a better job of it?

Today, polling passes for statesmanship, advertising passes for literature, infomercials pass for entertainment, reruns pass for nostalgia, work relationships pass for family.

We ordered our future to go with a side order of fries. Frank Zappa called Americans "those who choose Cheese." What does he mean? Consider H.L. Mencken's thought that most people want security in this world, not liberty. If the revolution is televised, it better not be opposite *Roseanne*. The future's as bright, I gotta wear my corporate logo on my T-shirt. In fact, why don't I just get it tattooed on my chest?

Popular culture? Forget it. It now consists of digging up old dead pop icons and sampling them, chopping and channeling them to do duets with their grandkids, or sell soda pop. Even modern fine art consists of cribbing from past masterpieces.

Out of a fine-tuned sense of revenge, we have used the techniques of the Modern World against it. As pioneer video artist Nam June Paik said, "I use technology in order to hate it properly." So we have sampled the Doom myths, chopped and channelled it and turned his anger loose on Our Future. DOOM 2099 represents a vision calculated to make Metropolis look like a date with Judy Jetson.

All roads lead to Latveria. You read it here first.



**THE PUNISHER 2099 #1** Carrying on in the terrifying tradition of Frank Castle comes Jake Galloway, a man who treads alone down the same perilous path. The bullet-riddled mantle of the Punisher has been passed down to a high-tech harbinger of justice, whose adventures are loaded with unsurpassed and unrelenting tension and suspense!

...AND WAR  
IS DECLARED!



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**RAVAGE 2099 #2** You might not want to get too close to the mutants of Hellrock, but there're plenty of them this issue. And the fighting machine known as Ravage has to defend his friends against the wrath of his former bosses at Alchemax!

**NEXT ISSUE:** If you think Tiger Wylde is going to take this threat to his throne lying down, we have some Latverian swampland we'll let you have real cheap. We introduce three more new characters into the mix: two foes and one...well, we're not saying. All this and Inker John Beatty joins the party for "The Action of the Tiger."



**SPIDER-MAN 2099 #3** Did somebody mention Alchemax? They want the 21st Century's web-slinger brought back alive, but the corporate cyber-warrior called Venture isn't quite that particular! Plus, our stellar supporting cast starts to take center stage!



# Gothman

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